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ANTI-CORTISOL COMPOUNDS AND  
METHODS FOR DECREASING THE SIDE  
EFFECTS OF ANIT-HIV DRUGS IN A  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed March 6, 2003.

This response is timely if filed on or before June 6, 2003, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.10.

Extensions of time are available under 37 C.F.R. §1.36(a) for up to six months from March 6, 2003. Applicant submits herewith a request for a three month extension of time and \$465.00 in fees. If there are any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge these additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 13-0019. Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the patent application and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.